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AROUND the TOWNSHIP

At the home of the San Lorenzo librarian, Miss Mary Teel, is the only hostel this side of the Bay.

A hostel is a rustic but comfortable lodging for cyclers or hikers where bedding, beds, shower, cooking facilities, etc. are provided for a daily sum of 25c plus a 5c or 10c charge for fuel. The hostelers bring their own food and cook and wash their dishes. The money is used entirely for the improvement and upkeep of the hostel.

It is possible for boys and girls to travel all over the U. S. and even over Europe using hostels exclusively at an amazingly low cost and in perfect safety. All hostels are supervised by persons above reproach and are located at some point of natural interest. Miss Teel calls hers The Laurel Hostel as she has in her yard one of the largest Bay trees in the whole region.

This idea originated in Europe but there are now over 200 in the United States and 4500 in the world including 20 countries. These are all available to a person with a hostel pass which costs one dollar and is good for a year. In Northern California there are eight hostels and more are in the process of development.

This is an ideal place to take a troop of Scouts or Campfire girls for the day and Miss Teel welcomes picnic groups to further the knowledge of the hostel movement. Also any donations of cots, blankets, or dishes are accepted as the hostel has not been in operation long enough to completely equip itself.

WASHINGTON HIGH MEMBERS IN HONOR SOCIETY NUMBER 35

CENTERVILLE — Thirty five members of the Washington Chapter of the California Scholarship Federation were announced this week by Miss J, Nold faculty advisor. Officers will be elected soon and delegates will be chosen for the convention on Treasure Island on Oct. 14.

Members of the local chapter represent 12 seniors. 16 juniors and 7 sophomores, Freshmen are not eligible until after Christmas.

The chapter roll is as follows: Genevieve Andre. Shirley Bertolotti. Rudy Brazil. William Gould, Miyoko Goto, Mamoru Hamachi, Hatsuye Hayashi, Masako Ikeda. Tashiye Ishimoto. Elaine Justus, Aki Kato. Riye Kawagushi. Anthony Maciel, Arthur Kimber, Isabel Maciel. Richard Marriott, Roy Mathiesen, Julianne McDonald. Mitsue Nakamura. Elaine Nemoto. Anna Ponti, Fusako Sakata, Mitsuko Sakata, Dorothy Silva. El Silva, Betty Jane Steinhoff. Kazuko Tate. Atsuko Tate, Harry Oshigima, Cleone West. Barbara Williams. Laura Lee Zwissig, Edna Leal. Hisako Yamanaka and Natsuko Tomimatsu.

PARTY TO BENEFIT SUNDAY SCHOOL

CENTERVILLE — The public is invited to attend a card party to be given tonight at Parish Hall for the benefit of the Sunday School of the Corpus Christi church.

The committee on arrangements consists of Mrs. Zulmyra Lewis. chairman; Mary George. Carrie Silva. Susie Lewis. Anna Ferraris, Marie Rose, Helen Lewis, Angie Furtado, May Mattos, Antone D. Lewis, M. F. George, Carmelo Cognino and John D, Lewis.

INSTALLED AS RAINBOW ADVISOR

ALVARADO—Miss Linda Jane Hellwig was installed as worthy advisor of the Rainbow Girls at ceremonies held Saturday night, succeeding Miss Vivian Logan.

Washington Huskers To Open Grid Play At Campbell Friday

CENTERVILLE — The first game of the season for the Washington Union High School football boys will take place next Friday afternoon Oct. 6 at Campbell,

Other games scheduled include Fremont here on Oct. 20; Mt. View here on Oct. 27; Santa Clara here Nov, 3; Livermore here Nov, 11; Los Gatos there Nov 17; Gilroy there Nov. 24,

According to some of the sports writers in metropolitan papers. Coach Jud Taylor at Centerville is one coach in the Santa Clara Athletic League this year who doesn't have to do any worrying, Coach says however he is not so optimistic as the sports writers indicate and that the boys will have to be at their best if they are to retain the championship title they have had for the past several years.

However a near veteran squad returns to compete for the third annual championship in the Santa Clara Valley league. Norman Ahm all league fullback who was the spark of the Washington offense is missing this year along with his diploma which he received last June. Johnny Soito succeeds Ahm, Julius Pine, center last year will be replaced by Jim Rand. Sid Gaunt, left guard last year is being succeeded by John Wallman, Of the eleven who saw most action last year eight are returning.

Among them are Al Silva 180 pounds left end, backed up by Tom Ashton; Larry Leal veteran tackle 200 pounds; Pat Luna. right guard; Joe Schelbert, 180 pounds and Bob Steinhauer 165 pounds right tackle and right end.

Last year's backfield is intact with the exception of Ahm, Weldon Pine shifty little left halfback, returns as chief ball carrier while Phil Brazil again barks signals and Mervin Boyce only junior in the backfield plays opposite Pine at right half.

Next year however Coach Taylor will be looking for a whole new team as all but two of the first 11 will graduate in June.

CASTLEWOOD CLUB SETTING FOR RITES FOR OAKLAND PAIR

PLEASANTON—The first wedding which Castlewood Country Club has had for some time took place recently at sunset when Miss Wilma Jeanne Sweetser became the bride of James Buente Cull of Oakland.

The ceremony was read by Rev. Francis S. Downs of Berkeley in front of a natural altar on the west lawn of the hacienda. The bridal party approached the altar through an aisle of white ribbon and white gladioli. A reception in the music room followed the ceremony.

Miss Margaret Hurley, cousin of the bride, was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Jeannette Beard. Nancy Heizen, who came from Lovelock. Nevada. for the wedding. Marjorie Weitz and Audrey Britt. Ushers were George Barkeley, Jim Jenkins, Ernest Lasell and William Hurley.

RENEW EFFORT FOR DIAL TELEPHONES

NILES — Renewed efforts to have dial phones placed in Niles were launched at Monday's meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce this week. A report is expected from a committee composed of George C. Roeding Jr, C. W. Kraft and Dr. T. C. Wilson, John Stajonavich was added to the committee.

HEAR ABOUT CONVENTION

ALVARADO — Reports of the recent convention of the S P R S I at Oakland were given at a meeting of the Alvarado lodge last night. Delegates were Anna Amaral. Edith Mello and Angie Vargas.

Producer



Adolph L. Vollman, showman and producer, is the 20th century Barnum who staged the magnificent "Cavalcade of The Golden West" for the California World's Fair, presenting the historic drama on the world's largest stage.

First County Fair Surprises Promoters By Showing Profit

PLEASANTON — Alameda County's first Fair presented here last month at a cost of almost $25000 showed a profit of $69.38 according to a financial report released by officials who expressed extreme satisfaction at having staged a financially successful event in its first presentation.

Secretary Ernest Schween announced that expenditures by the local committee totaled $18520.78 with receipts reaching a total of $18590,16. Neither figures includes the approximately $6000 awarded as premiums which were paid directly from the county auditor's office.

Included in income items were $5000 granted by Alameda County $350 given by the City of Pleasanton and $2039 raised by donations. The balance of $10131 was receipts from admissions, concessions queen contest. entry fees and sale of exhibit space. Major expense listed was $6711.47 as cost of the horseracing program staged in conjunction with the Fair.

Amendment of the constitution to provide an annual election of officers is scheduled for a meeting of the Fair Association to be held October 9, President Crawford Letham will name a nominating committee to select officers and directors for next year's show.

FIREMEN MOVE UP CARD PARTY DATE

CENTERVILLE — The card party to be given at Parish Hall by the Centerville Fire Department which was previously announced for Oct. 20 has been set forward to Nov. 3 due to conflict with other affairs. The public is invited to be present.

Proceeds of the party will be used to buy additional equipment for the new $6000 fire engine received last week according to Fire Chief Fred Rogers.

BREAKFAST SUBJECT FOR FARM WOMEN

NILES — Mrs. Marion Zwissig was hostess at a meeting of the Farm Home Department at her home Monday afternoon. The first of a series of programs on the preparation of breakfasts was given by Mrs. Maryetta Holman. home demonstration agent. The October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs, Lena Bertolotti.

EIGHTH GRADE ELECTS OFFICERS

CENTERVILLE — The eighth grade class of the Centerville Grammar School elected the following officers: Lucille Raymond president; George Holeman, vice president; John Daniels. secretary; Barbara Bettencourt, treasurer.

Sale of The Township Register Is Announced As of This Date

Immediately after publication of this issue, sale of The Township Register from J. Boyce Smith to Norman H. Parks will be consummated. Negotiations have been in progress for the past 15 days and will be closed today. The issue of the paper for next week, October 6, 1939 will be under the management of the new owner.

Thus, the present publisher concludes a stay of exactly 23 months in Niles and Washington Township. To the many persons who have continuously expressed themselves, we are sincerely grateful for their friendship and good wishes and for the patronage that has made possible the operation of this newspaper property. Our stay among you has been very pleasant and our experiences here will remain long in our memory.

To persons doing business with The Township Register, we wish to give notice that payment for all accounts for commercial printing and advertising incurred up to and including Friday, September 29, 1939, should be made to J. Boyce Smith, P. O. Box 193, Niles, Calif.

Payment for printing and advertising purchased after September 29, 1939, should be made to The Township Register, Niles, Calif. Payment of all subscription accounts, whether due or past due, should be made as usual to The Township Register, Niles, Calif.

The undersigned will remain in Niles for the immediate future for the purpose of concluding the business accruing from past operation.

J. BOYCE SMITH

ATTEND FAMILY PARTY IN HONOR OF GRANDMOTHER

CENTERVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Harold DeLeon and family attended a party in Berkeley last week in honor of the 85th birthday of DeLeon's grandmother Mrs. G. Alphonse. Forty five were present including several members of the family who have had theatrical and circus careers.

Mrs. Alphonse is the mother of Mrs. Will Lea widow of the late "Cho Cho" the clown of international fame who passed away recently and of Mrs. Jennie Silbon who assisted her husband in managing the central aerial ring of Barnum and Bailey's circus for 33 years. Another daughter is Emily McOwen of Berkeley whose husband is a teacher of dramatics for Fanchon and Marco.

There were six children. nine grandchildren. six great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren at the party.

Mrs. Alphonse was born in Mission San Jose and made a round trip to New York via covered wagons. She and her husband ran the Old Flume House in the Santa Cruz mountains.

HOST TO PRINCIPALS OF COUNTY

CENTERVILLE — The Alameda County Principals' Association will meet at the Washington Union High School on Oct. 9 at 6 o'clock. Dinner will be served in the cafeteria,

Alvin Morse of the high school faculty will discuss the European situation and Tom Maloney principal of the Centerville Grammar School will preside as chairman of the association. Mrs. Elsie Madruga principal of the Alviso School is secretary.

TOLEDO BALLPLAYER AT RANCH HOME

ALVARADO—Fred Muller, formerly second baseman of the Oaks, has returned to Alvarado from Toledo and is residing on the Langdon ranch.

DRAMATIC CLASS AT HAYWARD HIGH TO PRESENT PLAYS

CENTERVILLE— Faculty members of the Washington Union High School and others from the township will attend presentations of the dramatic class of the Hayward Union High School on Oct 12, 13, 16 and 17.

A "streamlined" version of Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew" has been selected. It will be offered under the direction of George Z. Wilson in the manner as presented in the Globe Theatre New York City by Thomas Wood Stevens.

An authentic reproduction of an Elizabethan stage setting is being designed by Gerald S. Irving art instructor and will be constructed by students in the stagecraft class. Special music will be presented by the high school band.

Next November the dramatics class will present "Julius Caesar" in modern dress the play to run 45 minutes without intermission.

FORMER SCHOOL TEACHER MARRIES

CENTERVILLE — Announcement of the marriage of Miss Maxine Lois Ducoty teacher at the high school last year and Mr, Walter Zinke at Minden Nevada was received here yesterday.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meier of Oakland and is a graduate of the University of California. The groom is the son of Mrs, Christine Zinke of San Leandro.

PLANNING STUDENT PLAY AT W U H S

CENTERVILLE — The student body play at the Washington Union High School will be given on Nov. 10 with Miss Muriel Fournier directing.

The cast will include Margaret Escobar. playing the title role and Laura Lee Zwissig. Joy Brown. Virgil Young, Roy Mathiesen and Eugene Correia. "Aunt Emma Sees it Through" has been selected for the production.

COMING EVENTS

Sept. 29—First student dance. high school.
Sept. 29—Sunday School card party; Parish Hall; 8 p. m,
Oct. 2—Red Cross meetings; high school and Niles Grammar schools at 2 p, m.
Oct. 7—Niles Firemen's Dance Palomar Ballroom.
Oct. 7—Steel Employes Picnic at Stonybrook Park.
Oct. 7—Harvest festival California Nursery, Children's Hospital,
Oct, 9—Principals Association. high school 6 p. m,
Oct.. 13—Arts and Crafts Guild,
Oct. 18—Coordinating council, high school. 12:30.
Oct, 19—Men's Club Washington Township; Congregational church Niles,
Oct. 20—Centerville P. T. A. card party in school auditorium, 8 p. m.
Oct. 21—Decoto Firemen's Ball at Swiss Park.
Nov. 10—Niles Native Daughters turkey whist at I O O F Hall.
Nov, 10—Centerville S P R S I card party; parish hall.
Nov. 10—Student Body play "Aunt Emma Sees it Through" high school.
Nov. 17—Thanksgiving holiday begins for schools.

GIRL SOFTBALL CHAMPS WILL NOT PLAY KRAFTILE

IRVINGTON — The Alameda girls' softball team. winner of the world's amateur championship. defeated the ElRay Builders of San Francisco at the Oakland ball park. 6 to 0 on Sunday. Misses Kay Cole and Irma Dutra of Irvington are members of the team.

Cancellation of the softball game between the world's champions and the Kraftile team of Niles was deemed advisable because of difficulties encountered in obtaining the use of the ball field at the Washington Union High School,

Harvest Festival Set For Oct. 7 To Benefit Hospital

NILES — When Autumn comes there is a distinct urge to loiter on a sunny afternoon where leaves are changing color and that characteristic feeling of "fall in the air" calls to the garden.

With this in mind. the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital has arranged another harvest festival to be held Saturday Oct, 7 near the Old Adobe at the California Nursery Company grounds. Funds will be donated to the Children's Hospital.

Assisting the branch are Parent Teachers Associations and the Auxiliary of the Washington Township Post of the American Legion. Booths will offer for sale homecooked foods. harvest fruits for the Thanksgiving table decorations and other articles, At noon a luncheon will be served at a small fee and tea and ice cream will be sold during the afternoon.

A special sale of bulbs for fall planting is being put on by the nursery. a percentage to go to the branch. The following committees have been appointed by Mrs. James Whipple, chairman: Mrs. J. C. Shinn and Mrs. George Sladek program; Mrs. Charles Shinn luncheon. assisted by Mrs. George Donovan and others; harvest festival table Mrs, Lawrence Bunting and Mrs. Frank Solinski; Mrs. Walter Robie pantry shelf; Mrs. Baldwin candy.

Phoebe Hearst Council of P T A will have a cake sale and the Washington Township Auxiliary will sell pies and cookies,

MEN'S CLUB OF TOWNSHIP WILL MEET OCTOBER 19

NILES — The Men's Club of Washington Township will hold the first fall meeting at the Niles Congregational Church on Thursday night Oct. 19 according to E. J. Pimentel and M, W. Lewis program committee.

A nominating committee will be appointed . Present officers are Erle Hygelund president; J. V. Goold vice president; E. J. Pimentel secretary and John Dutra treasurer. The dinner will be served by the Ladies Guild of the Niles church headed by Mrs. Henry Snell.

OPEN BIDS SOON ON NEW FIRE HALL

IRVINGTON — Bids for the construction of a $7500 fire hall at Irvington will be opened on Oct. 3 according to E. H. Hirsch commissioner.

A lot on Mission Road, across from the postoffice was recently purchased as a site for the new fire hall. The building will be two stories. the ground floor to include room for two pieces of equipment storage space etc. The second floor will have an assembly hall. kitchen and lavatory,

ASSIST AT MEETING FOR TRUSTEES

DECOTO — Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harrold were among the hosts and hostesses at the California School Trustees meeting at the Hotel Leamington in Oakland last night.

Red Cross Issues Call To Volunteer Workers Monday

CENTERVILLE — All women of Washington Township who wish to volunteer services in making dressings for European war hospitals are asked to meet next Monday afternoon to receive instructions from trained workers from the Red Cross.

Residents of Centerville. Newark. Irvington and Warm Springs will meet at the high school at 2 o'clock and those from Niles. Decoto, Alvarado and Mission San Jose will meet at the Niles Grammar School at the same hour.

These arrangemens were made at a meeting at the high school Wednesday morning with 35 present representing practically every woman's organization in the township. Mrs. Allen Norris chairman presided. Mrs Stevenson of Centerville was named secretary and Mrs, White was made chairman of the Centerville group. Mrs. Dassel was made chairman of the Niles group. Other chairmen will be appointed later.

Assisting with the meeting were Mrs, Myrick township chairman for Red Cross; Mrs. Lulu Webster executive secretary of the Oakland chapter of the American Red Cross and G. McCall of the Pacific Coast Branch at San Francisco.

It is probable that workrooms will be established in each town to make it more convenient for workers. It was stressed that all those wishing to make the dressings must have instructions, Trained workers will be present at the meetings next Monday afternoon.

WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY SOON

NILES — Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Farrington of Niles Glen will celebrate their golden wedding on Oct. 30. Relatives from Niagara Falls are visiting here having crossed the continent for the event.

Visitors are Mrs. Robert Lowry a daughter; Mrs. George Lenz a granddaughter and two great grandchildren Robert Lenz III and Brenda Lenz.

Mrs. Farrington celebrated her 71st birthday on the last of last month and "Dad" will be 71 the day after Thanksgiving. They were married at Holland N. Y. and have lived in Niles for the past 17 years.

Farrington was a "devil" on the Buffalo Times and remembers rushing news via horsecars from reporters to the city desk. He retired three years ago after being in the garage and later the dairy business in the township here.

BIG SISTER DAY AT HIGH SCHOOL

CENTERVILLE — Vermilda De Luce has been made chairman of "Big Sister Day" at Washington Union High School to be observed next Wednesday.

This is the annual occasion when Freshmen girls and new students enrolled in upper classes are welcomed to the student body. A program will be presented. Quarterly teas are being planned for the new girls and members of the Girls' League Council. "Big Sisters" from upper classes are assigned a "little sister" whom they are to assist in anything that comes up during the year.

HOSTESSES FOR HONOR SOCIETY

NEWARK — Marie C. Pierce and Mary I. Meneze of Newark will be hostesses at a meeting of Beta Chapter, Phi Lambeda Theta honorary business sorority at the Leamington Hotel on Oct. 10 at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

New officers who are assuming their duties for the first time are Virginia Garetson president; Lorna Wood vice president; Ruth Kale. secretary; Eloise Klose treasurer and Marie Pierce historian,

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PROPAGANDA

Two weeks ago 125 women gathered at our local Women's Clubhouse in Centerville for an annual luncheon. Those women were the representatives of 4000 Federated Club Women in Alameda County, including some 75 from our own Township.

The topic of the day was Lights on in America—a program of peace and the light of democracy. The mother of a baby boy pleaded for the peace of the American home and the security of that boy's manhood. A woman who has known the hell of the living-dead of war begged that never again would Americans know that living death. A teacher reminded us once more that education could be mankind's salvation. The civic minded woman, the professional every woman told how the lights might be saved from blackout in America.

Under it all lay the warning to recognize and beware of Propaganda—that insidious, clever, diabolical demon that duped us into the last war. And a mother of three grown sons let us know that she would give those sons to keep the lights burning in America—but that she would NOT give them to be fed into the maw of European hate, avarice and Propaganda. It was a stirring, awe-ful program, and, as they dispersed, women looked into one another's eyes and realized what was happening on earth.

But one lone woman in that group, said to us afterward "Well, of course, you realize that this whole program has been nothing but propaganda."

We have been wondering ever since what she meant.

Of course it was propoganda, red blooded, one hundred percent American propaganda, the kind of propaganda every American should be shouting from the housetops. For we are sick of British and German and Russian propaganda. Nor do we want the propaganda of bungling American politicians who would plunge us into war to cover their bungling. Nor will we have the propaganda of American profiteers who would wax fat on war—vultures hovering about a carrion field.

In a community like this Township, essentially agricultural, we all realize that war is apt to increase the profits and prosperity of the whole district. But let us never lose sight of the fact that the cost of those profits will be the lives of youth—be it American youth, British or German.

We are no yellow livered Mother afraid to send her son to war. Our only son's the direct descendant of Civil War, Spanish American and World War veterans. And if or when that bugaboo that scared us into the last war, the threat of barbarian invasion ever comes to American shores, our son will be with every other American son, to protect this country. But meanwhile, if any barbarian wins control of Europe, it seems to us self evident that he will have his hands full with European troubles for centuries to come; and that that bugaboo was only one more piece of propaganda to ensnare us into a maelstrom of greed.

Of course Tuesday's meeting was Propaganda. Apparently the only propaganda on earth that can "make the world safe for democracy." Certainly the last twenty years have been proven too clearly that our late Allies are not democracies. No democracy would have imposed a peace treaty of Hate upon a beaten but virile people. Now that that virility has recovered, and our Allies are reaping the harvest of their own Hate, they would ensnare us again.

Is it not the hope of civilization that we spread American propaganda to the four corners of the world, and, when Europe destroys itself, be in a position to help her reconstruct herself upon the principles of real Democracy—to help relight the lights of Europe—perhaps to force England, France, Italy and Germany to light their lights together, and, with America, carry the torch of real democracy to the rest of the world?

To date, those countries have striven to strangle one another. Russia seems to boast a program of destruction. America stands alone—hating no one coveting no land. Let her lead—not follow. Let her conserve her strength to build—not join those who would destroy.

Let us shout American Propaganda from the housetops.

—Contributed.

WILL SPEND TWO MONTHS ON TRIP TO SOUTH AMERICA

NILES — Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth will leave on October 8 for a two months' trip to South America expecting to return home on December 1 in time to join their son Vernon who is visiting in Hawaii and who will return home for the Yule holidays,

The Ellsworths will go to New York via the streamline train to visit the World's Fair for three days. They will sail on a Grace liner and spend one day in Balboa Panama Canal and will disembark at Valpariaso traveling by train across the South American continent to Monte Video. Brazil. They will visit Santiago and will spend a week at Buenos Aires.

Traveling up the east coast they will visit Rio de Janeiro and will sail again from Trinidad to New York, The return trip will be made on the Argentine. formerly the Virginia on which they traveled through the Panama Canal seven years ago.

They expect to return home in time for a family reunion at Christmas which will include their son Vernon now visiting Captain Martin retired naval officer in Hawaii. Vernon has been sightseeing and recently enjoyed a boat trip to several of the islands.

WILL TRAIN IN DOMINICAN ORDER

CENTERVILLE — Marilyn Maciel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Maciel and popular vocalist of this community, has entered the novitiate of the Dominican Sisters at Mission San Jose preparing to become a teacher in the order. She graduated from the Washington Union High School in 1937 as an honor student.

INJURED IN FALL AT SHOP

CENTERVILLE — Frank Madruga suffered a broken left heel when he fell from a scaffold at his new shop Monday. He has been confined to his bed for several days.

DR. E. C. GRAU
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Irvington Items

MEN'S CLUB HOLDS SESSION

The Irvington Men's Club held their regular meeting Thursday evening September 21 in the Odd Fellows Hall. There were several new members added to the membership roll. Business at hand included the purchasing of a motion picture projector that may be used by any civic group in the community. Funds to purchase the projector were raised at the recent Labor Day picnic. The members were entertained with motion pictures and music played by the Old Timers Band.

OBSERVE 26th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary on Saturday at a house party given by the 500 club and their friends. Thirty five guests were present.

VISITS WITH GRANDMOTHER

Kenneth Perry of Oakland spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary P. Leal.

RETURNS TO HOME AFTER VISIT

Mrs. J. Liston of Oakland spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Mary Griffen leaving for her home on Tuesday.

WILL SPONSOR PROGRAM SERIES

Another big public program is being planned according to Malcom Van Ike program chairman of the Irvington Men's Club, The club is planning to sponsor programs each four or six weeks. The nature of the new program will be announced soon.

BACK FROM SAN JOSE VISIT

Mrs. Al Hirsch has returned after spending several weeks at the home of her sister in San Jose.

CLUB RESUMES MEETINGS

The Ladies Club met Thursday September 21 at tht home of Mrs, Florence Beardsley for their first meeting after the summer vacation.

RETURNS FROM HUNTING TRIP

Dr. Grimmer has returned home after spending two weeks in Northern California and Oregon enjoying good hunting and fishing.

VISITOR FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. Pearl McGovern of San Francisco spent Friday with her mother Mrs, Kate Brewer. Mrs. Brewer returned with Mrs. McGovern for the week end.

OAKLANDERS VISIT SEVERAL DAYS

Mrs. Herbert Riley and Mrs. Mary Goulart of Oakland were visitors in town for several days returning to their home on Sunday,

BACK FROM NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Andrew Garcia returned home after several days hunting in Northern California.

TAKES POSITION IN SAN JOSE

Miss Bobbie Foster is now employed at O'Briens in San Jose beginning her duties on Monday.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Rosie Cardoza is home after being confined to the San Jose Hospital for the past week.

CALLED TO OREGON BY DEATH

Mr, and Mrs. Art Sutton attended the funeral of his father in Portland Oregon leaving Monday evening.

GUESTS FROM NEWCASTLE

Miss Irene Lewis and Miss Mary Serpa of Newcastle are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Silva on Osgood avenue after spending a week in San Francisco

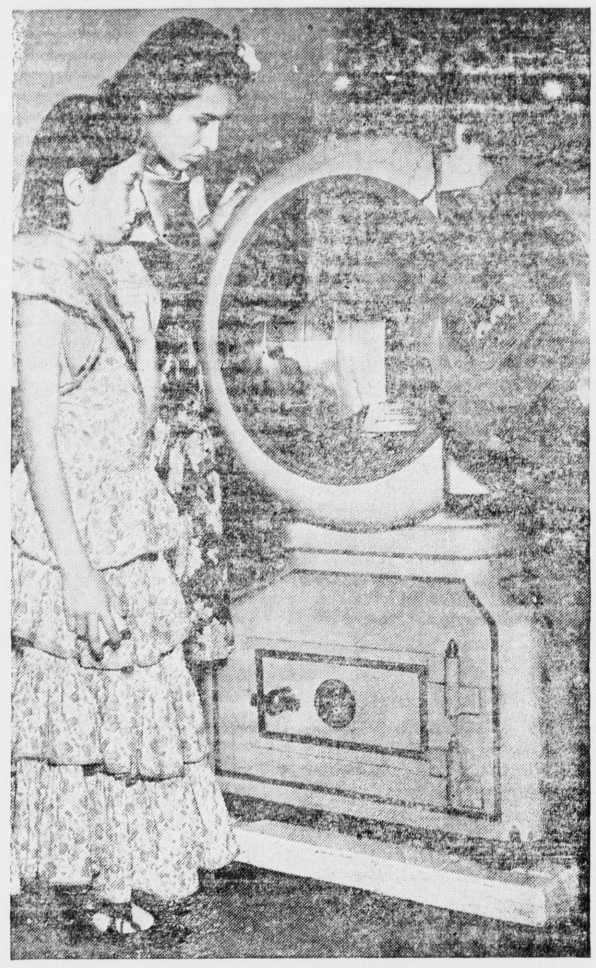
Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. Jas. Filler says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even seemed to press on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

ADLERIKA

Walton's Pharmacy,—in Irvington by Pond's Pharmacy

On World's Fair School Tour



History lessons learned from school books become real to children when supplemented with actual examples of dramatized history. Here Raquel Lopez of the San Leandro school and her little sister Carmen take a lesson in early pioneer history as presented by the Golden Gate International Exposition on Treasure Island. These students and hundreds like them who come to the Exposition in School Tour groups, find great interest in the Golden Spike which joined the rails of the Central Pacific and the Union Pacific railroads at Promontory Point in Utah. This exhibit, and scores of others from the highlights of American history can be found in the various county buildings on Treasure Island. The Fall School Tours, approved by the State Board of Education, and in effect until November 3, are open to all schools in California, and offer minimum rates for children. Full school attendance credit is given children making the World's Fair Tours.

where they attended the Fair,

ENJOY WEEK END AT BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes and daughter Jackie and Mr. and Mrs. Al Piexoto spent the week end at Martins Beach,

GUESTS IN OAKLAND HOME

Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter of Oakland on Saturday evening,

VISITORS FROM LOS ANGELES

Mrs. Christen Magnus of Los Angeles was a guest at the home of Mr, and Mrs, Geo. Scammon for several days.

LADIES HOLD FOOD SALE

On Saturday afternoon a food sale sponsored by the Ladies Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Elli Lutz. Funds raised from this sale will be used for the repairing of the Irvington Community church. The sale starts at 2 o'clock.

REPRESENT LOCAL P T A

Mrs. Marie Silveria, Mrs. Lucille Day. Mrs. Ann Mayock Mrs Stella Benbow and Mrs Mary Rose represented the Irvington P T A at the Phoebe Hearst Council meeting held in Mt Eden.

MAKE VISIT TO HOLLISTER

Mr, and Mrs. Robert Wright spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William White of Hollister.

GUEST OF SISTER HERE

Mrs. J, N. Stanley of San Francisco is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. Robert Wright.

PLAN DAY AT FAIR

On Saturday Oct. 14 Campfire Girls' day will be held at Treasure Island, All girls in costume will be admitted free. The Irvington Campfire girls are planning to attend.

SISTER SERIOUSLY ILL

Word has been received that Mrs. Mary Keanenlly of Oakland sister of Mrs. O, Benbow is seriously ill at the Providence Hospital in Oakland.

GREETED ENROUTE TO ISLANDS

Upon her arrival in San Francisco from Ohio Sister Evelyn Ansilla was greeted by her friend of many years Mrs. Williams of Centerville. Accompanying Mrs, Williams was Mrs. Margaret Benbow and Mrs. Stella Benbow of Irvington. After spending the day in San Francisco and visiting several places of interest Sister Ansilla sailed on the Matsonia for the Hawaiian Islands where she will be in the Episcopalian service for five years.

GUESTS OF RELATIVES

Miss Leona Freitas and Rudy Frates of Oakland spent the week end at the home of Mr, and Mrs. Stepp Raymond and family.

VISITOR FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Miss Minnie Taylor of San Francisco is the guest of Mrs. L. Sturtevant and Mrs, Bessie O'Lace.

GIVEN PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY

Berkeley St. John Green, superintendent of the Western Gun Club was given a surprise party Thursday evening Sevtember 21 at his home by his two sons and their wives his new granddaughter. seven nurses and their escorts from the Fairmont Hospital the occasion being his 71st birthday.

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Funeral services were held in Hollywood last week for Mrs. Bess Silver wife of Charles Silver. son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Silver of Prune ave,

ATTENDS VICTORY DINNER DANCE

Miss Agnes Raymond was a guest at the Hotel Alameda dinner dance on Sunday evening when the victorious worlds championship girls softball team was honored.

NUPTIALS PLANNED

Miss Thelma Van Ike and Lyle Fisher will be united in marriage Saturday Oct. 20 at 7 o'clock in the Irvingon Community church with Dr. Drury of San Anselmo performing the ceremony, Mrs. Carter McKemy will be bridesmaid Mr. Carter McKemy best man and Millard Van Ike and Bud Mohn ushers.

ATTEND CINEMA CLUB PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. John Santos. Manuel Guardanapo and Pearl Silva attended the Hayward Cinema Club picnic at Castle Rock last Sunday.

PRESENT AT BUSINESS MEETING

Postmaster Joseph attended the East Bay Federal Business Association meeting Wednesday at Hotel Coit in Oakland,

Decoto Doings

LOCAL COUPLE WED IN RENO

Robert Davis 22 and Elsie Seidler 25 both of Decoto were married in Reno last week.

FORMER RESIDENT TAKEN ILL

Felix Pinza former Decoto resident is ill with pneumonia at his home in Hayward.

CONGRATULATED ON SON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe "Red" Garcia are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby boy. The little fellow has been named Kenneth.

RETURN FROM EASTERN TRIP

Antone B. Vierra and two daughters have returned from a vacation spent in Erie. Pennsylvania.

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HUNTING TRIP IN NORTH

Alwin Searles and a party of friends spent the week end deer hunting up North.

BETROTHED COUPLE HONORED

Tom Silva Jr of Centerville and Miss Olive Perry of Decoto who will be married in the very near future were honored with a shower on Saturday.

SPEND DAY AT FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown and son Jerry spent Sunday at the Exposition on Treasure Island.

VISITORS FROM BERKELEY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Souza of Berkeley were visitors here on Sunday.

ENTERTAIN AT BARBECUE

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Salz entertained with a barbecue at their home on Saturday evening.

ATTEND DANCE SATURDAY EVE

A large number of Decoto people enjoyed the free dance given by the Wedgewood Fire Department at the Swiss Park on Saturday night.

MOVE INTO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Enos Jr. and family have moved into their home on Fourth street.

NATIVE OF IOWA TAKEN BY DEATH

NILES — Funeral services for Johanna Johnson of Niles, native of Jewell. Iowa will be held this afternoon from Sorensen Brothers Chapel in Hayward. The deceased was the daughter of John Johnson and a sister of Mrs. Raleigh Fulp.

Niles Theatre

FRI. and SAT. Sept, 29—30
Ann Sothern and Robert Young in
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Humphrey Bogart in
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GROUP ATTEND MOOSE MEETING

Mrs, Mike Hoffman. Mrs, M. Dittman, Mrs Walter Texeria. Mrs, Lena Bertolotti and Mrs. Marion Zwissig attended a meeting of the Women of the Moose in San Jose. Mrs Bertolotti and Mrs. Kraft were on the initiating committee and Mrs, Kraft and Mrs. Zwissig were in charge of the evening's affairs, which included entertainment, refreshments etc. This occasion was to honor new members and members birthdays coming in September,

LEAVES FOR PITTSBURGH

Mrs. Mary McCauly of Pittsburgh. Pa, who has been visiting with her mother for two weeks left Wednesday.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB MEETS

The Women's Improvement Club met at the home of Mrs. Lena Bertolotti on Tuesday evening. This was their first business meeting since May.

NEWARK STUDENTS ELECTED

Shirley Bertolotti was elected a Girls League representative for the junior class and Patricia Costa as treasurer of the Sophomore class at the Washington Union High School recently. Those on the student body offices are Edna Leal. secretary and William Gould treasurer,

WILL LEAVE FOR L. A.

Mrs. John Crespie of Los Angeles will leave Sunday for Los Angeles after spending three weeks visiting in Newark.

WEDGEWOOD DANCE A SUCCESS

The Wedgewood Firemen's dance at Swiss Park on Saturday evening turned out to be a financial success. It was one of the largest crowds that ever attended a dance there,

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS INITIATED

Many Newark High School students were initiated on Friday "Scrub" day at the high school gymnasium.

LADIES AID TO HOLD TEA

The Ladies Aid Society will hold on October 6 at the home of Mr and Mrs. Robert Grace a garden party and silver tea,

BARNES RETURN HOME

Bradford and Marge Barnes returned home Thursday after spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott.

JR, C. E. SOCIETY RESUMES MEETINGS

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society last Saturday evening resumed their meetings at the Newark Presbyterian Church with Mrs Francs MacGregor in charge of the program.

N F D EXTINGUISHES GRASS FIRE

The Newark Fire department was called out on Wednesday to extinguish a grass fire near the home of Mrs. George Freitas.

CHIEF PASHOTE HOME FROM CONVENTION

Chief Joe Pashote returned home Saturday after spending a week in San Francisco attending the Pacific Coast and International Fire Chiefs convention.

BROWNS AT FOREST LAKES

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown and Mrs Charlotte Brown spent Tuesday at their summer home at Forest Lakes.

BROWNS ATTEND DINNER MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brown attended a dinner meeting in Pleasanton Thursday evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Carol Pederson. He is the new pastor of the Pleasanton Presbyterian Church.

DUNGAN LIVING AT SILVAS

Trevis Dungan of Anguilla Missouri is making his home with his sister Mrs. Lee Silva of Newark and attending high school in Centerville.

MEN ACCOMPANY BROWN TO MEETING

Robert Grace of Newark Dr. J. H. Durham of Irvington. James Hunter of Alvarado and Mrs. C: E. Anderson of Centerville accompanied Rev. Vernon Brown to a meeting of the Elders of the Presbyterian Church at Park Boulevard Church in Oakland on Wednesday evening.

MRS. HOWELL ENTERTAINS FRIDAY

Mrs. Dick Howell entertained the Stitch em up Club on Friday evening. Mrs. Robinson was guest of honor and was presented with a beautiful purse as she is leaving next month for her home in Chicago.

NEWARK FARM HOME MEET

The Newark Farm Home Center met on Monday at the home of Mrs. Marion Zwissig in Decoto.

AT L. A. ON BUSINESS TRIP

Thor Nordvik and E. B. Johnson spent the week end at Los Angeles on a business trip.

N. F. D. LOSES TO CELLAR TEAM

On Tuesday evening the Newark Firemen were defeated by the Irvington Firemen 15 to 12 This defeat still left Newark the Washington Township Firemen champions.

NORDVIKS AT ALAMEDA

Mrs. Thor Nordvik and daughter Carolyn spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Francken at Alameda.

MISS SILVA SICK WITH PNEUMONIA

Jeanette Silva is confined to her home with pneumonia.

MACHADOS VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Machado visited relatives in San Jose on Wednesday.

VEIT ATTENDING CONVENTION

Frank Veit left last week for the east to attend the American Legion national convention and the fair at New York.

C. E. HOLD SWIMMING PARTY

The High School Christian Endeavor held their swimming party on Friday evening at the Hayward Plunge. A hamburger roast was served.

PAIR GO CATFISHING

Clarence Soito and Mildred Dias spent Saturday catfishing at Sycamore Park.

TAUTENHAHNS VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Emily Tautenhahn and daughter Mitzie spent the week end visiting at he home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marshall.

THOMPSON VISITS HERE

Lawrence Thompson of San Francisco spent the week end visiting with friends and relatives.

MOORES VISITING HERE

Mr, and Mrs. Oliver Moore and children of Grants Pass Oregon are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nunes for sometime.

LANKFORDS MOVE TO ASH ST.

Mrs. Emma Lankford and family have moved to one of Bill Grahams homes on Ash street.

MACIELS MOVE TO ASH STREET

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Maciel have moved to one of Bill Graham's homes on Ash street after living in one of the Duplex homes on Magnolia street.

L. A. OF N. F. D. HOLD SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Newark Fire Department was held on Monday evening to discuss important business affairs. The Newark Fire Department also met Monday evening.

KINGS VISIT MARTINS

Mr. and Mrs. Al King and daughters of Pleasanton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Martin on Saturday.

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SURPRISED ON 62nd BIRTHDAY

CENTERVILLE — Mrs. Mary George was given a surprise party at her home last Friday evening in celebration of her birthday. Thirty friends and members of the family were present.

After an evening of games on the lawn cards and other entertainment and the presentation of prizes. a midnight supper was served at tables beautifully decorated. One large cake bore 62 candles and another was inscribed with "Greetings to Mother." Mrs. George expressed her appreciation for the many lovely gifts she received and for the presence of those who had come to give her best wishes and congratulations.

EAGLES TO HOLD INITIATION

ALVARADO — New members will be initiated at a meeting of the Alvarado Aerie of Eagles on Oct. 16. Motion pictures will follow a banquet. Arrangements are being made by Joe Lewis and Joe Martin.

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Niles Notes

ARRANGING DISTRICT REBEKAH PARTY

Mrs. Henrietta Graff. deputy president of district 53 has charge of the arrangements for a district party at Livermore. Wednesday evening Oct, 4. Mrs. Thelma Cossich president of the Rebekah Assembly will be the guest of honor and will pay Livermore Rebekah Lodge an official visit that evening. The meeting will be preceded by a dinner under the direction of the Livermore Rebekahs. Reservations for the dinner should be made this week either to Rose Fournier. secretary of the Niles Rebekahs or to Mrs. Howard Le Fevre Noble Grand of Livermore Rebekah Lodge.

VISITORS FROM HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

Warrant Officer Frank Smith headquarters Hawaiian department Fort Shafter T. H. and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cull this week. They sail for the Islands Saturday on the transport Leonard Wood.

SCOUT TROOP TO MEET MONDAY

CENTERVILLE — The Centerville Boy Scout troop committee will meet at the Washingon Union High School in the "W" room next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock to plan the troop program for the year.

Members of the committee are Joseph Nunes Chairman; James Nunes, scoutmaster; Philip Souza assistant scoutmaster; Jack Silva. secretary; John Cattaneo. treasurer; Manuel Brazil, Joseph Duarte. Joseph Furtado, Thomas Maloney. Dallas Paul and Tom Silva committeemen.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

CENTERVILLE—Student class officers were elected at Washington Union High School as follows:

Seniors—Tom McWhirter, president; John Soito, vice president; Josephine Seaone, secretary; Philip Brazil, treasurer; Albert Silva, student council; Delphine Ornellas and Mary Harrold, Girls' League; Weldon Pine. yell leader.

Juniors—Richard Garcia, president; Joe Lewis, vice president; Isabelle Maciel, secretary; Vera Costa, treasurer; Laura Lee Zwissig, student council; Shirley Bertolotti and Marylyn Critchfield, Girls' League and Harry Ushijima, yell leader.

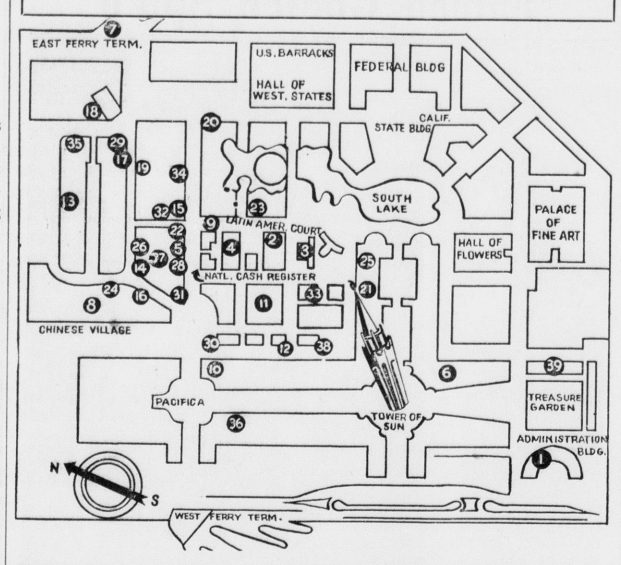
Sophomores—Anthony Maciel. president; George Smith, vice president; Richard Witherly, secretary; Patricia Costa, treasurer; Patricia Rose, student council; Myrtle Lemas and Marjorie Hunt, Girls' League and Tony Lopez, yell leader

The Freshmen will elect later.

TWO HURT IN AUTO COLLISION

NEWARK — James Miller Jr. aged 8 years of 753 Ash sreet Newark and Camilla Mellow 42 909 Main street Niles were injured when cars driven by J. J, Miller and Frank Mellow Jr. collided at the S. P. Tracks at Newark Saturday night. The injured were treated for minor cuts and bruises by private physicians.

Treasure Island Eat Chart



Here is the key to Treasure Island's eating places. In addition to the cafes shown here there are numerous hotdog and hamburger stands throughout the grounds.

1. Admin. Bldg. Cafeteria
2. Argentine Cafe
3. Brazilian Restaurant
4. Cafe Lafayette
5. Casa Mexicana
6. Central Court Cafeteria
7. Coliseum Restaurant
8. Chinese Village
9. Bean Pots
10. Vacationland Cafe
11. Continental Cafe
12. Crillo's
13. Chuck Wagon
14. Doughnut Tower
15. Dutch Windmill
16. Estonian Cafe
17. Fisherman's Grotto
18. Vic's Place
19. Happy Valley Ranch
20. Henson's—Philippine Bldg.
21. Italian Swiss Wine Garden
22. Island Club (card necessary)
23. Javanese Restaurant
24. Jolly Roger
25. John L. Co. Sandwich Slide
26. Midget Village
27. Marco Polo Cafe
28. Manila Restaurant
29. Mickey's Kosher Meat
30. Oakwood Barbecue
31. Owl Drug Store
32. Pig-n-Blanket
33. Press Bldg. (card necessary)
34. Russian Restaurant
35. Scottish Restaurant
36. True Blue Cafeteria
38. White Star Cafe
39. Yerba Buena Club (card necessary)

SCHOOL TEACHER TELLS OF VACATION TRIP TO EUROPE

CENTERVILLE — Miss Josephine Herbert, teacher at the Centerville Grammar School gave a report of her vacation visit to Europe this past Summer at Tuesday's meeting of the Centerville P T A. She had an exhibit of articles which she brought home.

Final plans were made for the card party which is to be given by the P T A on Oct. 20 in the school auditorium. Arrangements are in the hands of a committee composed of Principal Tom Maloney, Mrs. Maloney, Mrs. George Pimentel, Mrs. Loren Marriott and Mrs. F. Bishop.

Mrs. McWhirter chairman of the Welfare Club explained the purpose of the Red Cross meeting at which plans were to be laid for assistance to the European war hospitals under the auspices of the Red Cross. Mrs. Bishop was appointed to attend this meeting.

ENJOY THEATRE AND DINNER PARTY

CENTERVILLE — The Study Club of the Country Club of Washington Township had a theatre and dinner party in San Francisco last week. Ten members attended the production of "The Desert Song" at the Curran.

Those present were Mesdames Howard Chadbourne. George Coit, R. L. Pond, Walter Robie, August May, Franklin Brown, Josephine Brown. C. E, Anderson, E. B. Hodges and Miss Silcker of Los Angeles,

NEW FIRE TRUCK IS RECEIVED

CENTERVILLE — A new $6.000 fire engine arrived in Centerville last week. Members of the fire department will give a card party on Nov. 3. committees for this event to be appointed later.

DATE IS FIXED FOR POPULAR ANNUAL SPORTSMEN'S WHIST

CENTERVILLE — The fifth annual whist party of the Washington Township Sportsmen's Club an event which yearly draws more than 1000 guests will be held at the Washington Union High School gymnasium on Tuesday night Nov. 21.

Funds from these annual parties are used in game preservation work carried on by the club. At present they are maintaining two pens of pheasants one at the V. M. Cramer place in Irvington and one at Alviso the birds to be released after the close of pheasant season Nov. 15-20.

On Oct. 8 the club members will have an outing at Sycamore Park near Antioch.

PRINCIPAL SPEAKS AT ROTARY CLUB

NILES — Barton L. Webb principal of the Washington Union Night School spoke at this week's meeting of the Rotary Club at the Hotel Belvoir. His subject was "Adult Education."

E. L. Owen dean of law at Santa Clara University was the speaker at last week's meeting arranged by John Stajonavich and H. O. McCormick. Santa Clara alumni.

AUXILIARY HOST AT DINNER PARTY

NEWARK — Husbands and families of the Auxiliary of the Newark Fire Department will be entertained at dinner at the fire hall tomorrow night about 30 being expected. Arrangements are being made by Rose Martin president and Irene Fields dinner chairman.

Centerville Jots

HOME FROM LOS ANGELES

Mrs, F. T. Dusterberry arrived home Saturday from a state conference of Women's Federated Clubs in Los Angeles last week.

GUILD WILL MEET OCTOBER 4

Members of the St. James Episcopal Guild will meet on Wednesday. October 4 with Mrs. George Emerson at her home in Centerville, The meeting will begin at 2 p. m.

ENTERTAINS FOR CLUB OFFICIAL

Mrs. Thomas Richards of Chico state president of Women's Federated Clubs was a house guest of Mrs. Frank Dusterberry district president Wednesday night. prior to attending a county meeting at Glenview Women's Club in Oakland yesterday, Also attending the county meeting were Mrs Ellsworth. Mrs. Martenstein and Mrs. Roland Bendel.

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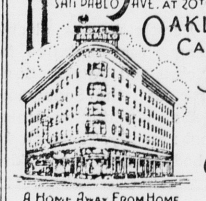
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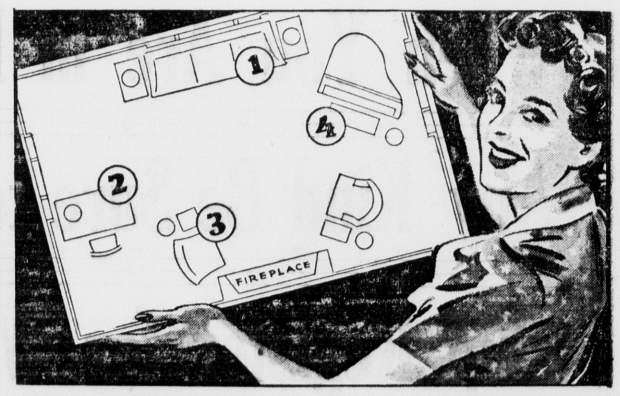
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